
ABOUT SRCMHS

SRCMHS (Southern Regional Conference on Mental Health Statistics) has its origins in the South, but it draws its audience from across the nation. SRCMHS was first convened in 1958 to provide a forum for information exchange on the collection and analysis of mental health statistical data and the organization and utilization of such data for planning, evaluation, and program management.

CONFERENCE FOCUS

This year's conference focus will be on mental illness and the adult and juvenile justice systems. The conference format will enable participants to "dialogue with the experts to learn what is cutting edge and how to do it."

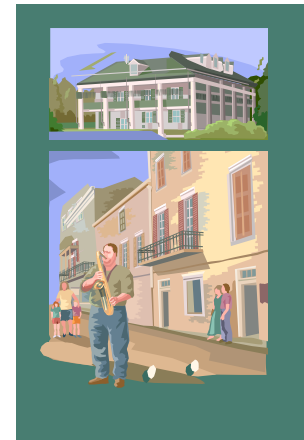
The conference content will be of great interest to managers, clinicians, law enforcement professionals, planners, consumers and evaluators working in and with public and private mental health, substance abuse, and adult & juvenile justice systems.

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Mental Illness and The Adult & Juvenile Justice Systems

A Dialogue on Behavioral Healthcare



October 31-November 3,
2004

Renaissance Arts Hotel
New Orleans, LA

46th Annual SRCMHS Conference

SUNDAY, October 31, 2004

9:00– 10:00 AM REGISTRATION
10:00- 4:00 PM PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOP
Multisystemic Therapy (MST). *Dan Edwards, Ph.D.*

MONDAY, November 1, 2004

8:00–10:00 AM REGISTRATION
9:00 – 10:30 KEYNOTE: National Directions and The President's New Freedom Commission on Mental Health. *A. Kathryn Power, Director SAMHSA/Center for Mental Health Services, The Honorable Ginger Lerner-Wren*
10:30 – 10:45 BREAK
10:45 – 12:00 Local Perspectives on Justice Issues. *The Honorable Ginger Lerner-Wren, Consumer & Law Enforcement perspectives TBA*
12:00 – 2:00 PM LUNCH
2:00 – 4:00 Model Jail Diversion Programs.

- National Program Trends: TAPA Center for Jail Diversion.
- Bexar County, TX, Sano y Salvo Jail Diversion Program. *Gilbert Gonzales*
- Miami (FL) Criminal Mental Health Jail Diversion Project for Co-occurring Disorders. *Cindy Schwartz*
- Hartford (CT) Women's Support Program. *Rocio Chang*

4:00 – 5:00 Dialog with the Experts. *TAPA Center, Gilbert Gonzales, Cindy Schwartz, Rocio Chang*
5:00 – 7:00 RECEPTION

TUESDAY, November 2, 2004

8:30 – 9:00 AM REGISTRATION
9:00 – 10:00 Models of Collaboration Across Agencies: Adult and Juvenile Justice Systems. *Anderson Freeman, Joe Coccozza*
10:00 – 10:15 Business Meeting
10:15 – 10:30 BREAK
10:30 – 12:00 Cultural Issues in Mental Health and Adult/Juvenile Justice Programs. *Carl Bell*
12:00-2:00 PM LUNCH
2:00 – 3:15 Information Technology and Outcome Issues: Confidentiality, Data & Outcomes. *Daniel Souweine*
3:15 – 3:30 BREAK
3:30 – 5:00 Mental Health Court Models—Pros/Cons. *John Petrila, The Honorable Ginger Lerner-Wren, and other experts.*

WEDNESDAY, November 3, 2003

8:30 – 9:30 AM Model Programs—Birmingham Jail Diversion Project ACT model. *Harry Findley*
9:30 -9:45 BREAK
9:45 – 11:00 Action Necessary to Disseminate and Adopt Models Statewide. *John Lyons*
11:00 – 11:30 WRAP-UP AND EVALUATIONS

PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOP

Multisystemic Therapy (MST) is an evidence-based intensive family- and community-based treatment that addresses the multiple determinants of serious antisocial behavior in juvenile offenders. The multisystemic approach views individuals as being nested within a complex network of interconnected systems that encompass individual, family, and extra-familial (peer, school, neighborhood) factors. Intervention may be necessary in any one or a combination of these systems.

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Continuing Education Credits (CECs): SRCMHS is co-sponsoring the pre-conference with the MS Dept of Mental Health, Division of Professional Development.

- As an organization approved by the American Psychological Association, the National Board of Certified Counselors, the National Association of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Counselors, and the Division of Professional Licensure and Certification, the MS Dept. of Mental Health is offering this activity for 5 hours of continuing education credit. The MS Dept. of Mental Health maintains responsibility for the program.
- This organization, the Department of Mental Health, Division of Professional Development, is approved as a provider of Social Work Units by the National Association of Social Workers, Mississippi Chapter, for the period of October 17, 2003 – October 17, 2006. .6 Social Work Units are granted for participating in this course.

Enrollment in this workshop will be limited, so early registration is encouraged. Registrations for the pre-conference must be received by October 1. After this date, to determine availability, please contact Deb Westvold, SRCMHS Treasurer, at (515) 244-7181

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Name: _____
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CONFERENCE FEES

[] \$100.00 Pre-Conference Workshop:
Multisystemic Treatment.
[] \$150.00 Conference (Before 10/22/04)
[] \$165.00 Conference (After 10/22/04)
[] \$ 75.00 Single day conference fee
\$_____ TOTAL PAYMENT DUE

Please check all that apply and send a check payable to SRCMHS for the total due to:

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At this time the SRCMHS does not accept credit cards. Cancellations will be honored if requested at least 3 working days before the start of the conference.

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

The conference will take place at the Renaissance Arts Hotel, 700 Tchoupitoulas Street, New Orleans. We have secured a conference rate of \$ 93 Single or Double Occupancy. To make reservations call: (504) 613-2330. Refer to the event name as "SRCMHS Conference Group". **Make your reservation NOW. Availability is limited.** The deadline for these rates is October 1, 2004.